

## GLOOM PERVADES ALL SHEELEY TOWN

Omaha's Melting Pot Grieves for Lonesome Twin Sister of Little Julian Homan.

### INSEPARABLE TWAIN BROKEN

Sheeleytown is Omaha's melting pot—in all of Greater Omaha's area there is no other neighborhood which boasts so many folk of diversified origin and characteristics. Especially is this true of the children. In no other part of the city can so many heterogeneous youngsters be found to the square block. It is a little settlement of rough-and-ready laboring people who brook no race suicide, and frown among the railroad tracks and freight cars, the young ones grow up in an environment that is anything but conducive to lethargy.

Place Usually Joyful. From morn till eve, and about nine-tenths of the time after the sun sinks into Hanscom park, Sheeleytown resounds with the shrill laughter, calls, screams and other noises which register the joy or anguish of the hundreds of kids who are always doing something, mischievous or otherwise, but something, nevertheless.

But Sheeley had an unusually quiet Sunday.

Down in a little home at 2719 South Twenty-fifth little Julian Homan lay dead, buried beneath the wheels of a speeding auto as it hurtled along Twenty-fourth street, near Hancock, Saturday night. He was in his coffin, dressed in the same clothes he wore when he received his first holy communion a year ago at Immaculate Conception. His little twin sister, Julia, from whom in life he was inseparable, knelt beside the cold little body and wept all day long.

Little Julian Gone. All the other kids in the district which has for its boundary Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth streets, south, seemed unable to play away from the house. For them Sunday is usually one free of irksome school duties and a day of noise almost as important as Fourth of July. But since little Julian couldn't be with them, why, they just sort of hung around the house all day and kept quiet.

"We gotter stick 'round, 'cause they're going to take him away and bury him, an' we won't see him any more," confided a freckled, snub-nosed youth with only one leg. He lost the other "flipping" cars some time ago.

There have been tragic deaths of children before this, in Sheeley—too frequently, in fact—but no other has hushed the little neighborhood as has the death of little Julian Homan.

Twin Sister Lonesome. Everybody seems to want quiet for the sake of his little twin sister. As the crippled kid who "jus" had to stick 'round" said: "The two were like a pair of fingers on one hand," and while they all grieved, of course, for little Julian Homan, their grief was intensified at the sight of the little twin sister, to whom Julian was more than the sunshine or flowers, and whose grief made strong men seek their handkerchiefs and turn away.

## THE TWINS, JULIAN AND JULIA, on their thirteenth birthday, when they were confirmed in the Church of the Immaculate Conception.



When roads lead to Nish and Bala Planks.

"In the upper Morava valley, after a hard fight, we took the town of Orizliaca, which is the junction point on the road between Vryzania and Leskovats, through the Vlasina valley. In the region of Katchanik the Serbians attacked a column which had advanced, but were repulsed.

"In the course of the pursuit of the enemy we captured two mountain guns, with large supplies of munitions. Thus far we have found in Uskup 15,000 rifles of various patterns, 800 casks of powder, 15,000 casks of cartridges and large quantities of other war material.

## Union Pacific Motor Strikes Automobile of Traveling Man

KEARNEY, Neb., Nov. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—John J. Spies, a traveling man living here, while making his route through the county, was struck by the Kearney-Calloway motor near Amherst this morning. The car in which Spies was driving was totally wrecked and the passenger thrown about 100 feet. He was picked up and rushed to Kearney for medical treatment. It was found that he sustained numerous injuries, none of

## Trustees Vote to Stand By Dr. Hillis

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The board of trustees of Plymouth church in Brooklyn have voted to stand by the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of that church, in his controversy with Frank L. Ferguson, formerly his attorney and business manager, according to an announcement today by Colonel W. C. Brecher, chairman of the board.

"Dr. Hillis will not resign," said Colonel Brecher. We have decided not to let Dr.

Hillis be trampled upon. I cannot say what effect this will have upon Dr. Hillis' agreement with Mr. Ferguson to keep their differences out of court by arbitrating it."

## SIR ARTHUR W. RUCKER, BRITISH AUTHOR, IS DEAD

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Sir Arthur William Rucker, aged 67, known widely as a scientist, author and educator, died today. He was connected with York college and the Royal College of Science, had served as principal of the University of London and was a former president

of the British association. He was knighted in 1902.

## Hoffman's Verdict Against Cubs Good

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—A verdict of \$244, obtained by Arthur Hoffman against the Chicago National league club was confirmed today in the appellate court. Hoffman was with the Cubs under a contract dated February 23, 1911, which provided for a salary of \$2,000 a year. On May 2, 1911, he was notified by telegram that he had been transferred to Pitts-

burgh and that the Pittsburgh club would be responsible for the salary. The evidence showed that during the remainder of the season Hoffman received only \$607 from the Pittsburgh club, and that he did not enter into any contract with it, relying upon the telegram from the Chicago club.

Morgan Gaining Strength. NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—J. P. Morgan's condition was considered so satisfactory today that no bulletins were issued by attending physicians. Members of his family said that the financier's rally from the operation for appendicitis performed last Friday was encouraging.

# 29<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY SALE

## THOMPSON-BELDEN & CO.



During this entire week events of unusual importance because of the price concessions they offer will crowd fast upon one another.

There will be no slowing up to this anniversary sale—no lack of fine bargains.

And no misrepresented price reductions. Whatever you see in our advertisements or in our show windows, or on price cards in the store, every statement will be TRUE.

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### Anniversary Sale of Fine Linens

- \$1.75 72-inch Bleached Damask - \$1.00 a yard
- 20c Fancy Turkish Towels - 12 1/2c
- 40c Fine Huck Towels at - 25c
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In good mill lengths, suitable for gowns, corset covers, children's wear, etc.

Regular 15c Quality. Anniversary Sale Price 7 1/2c a Yard Basement.

## Anniversary Sale of Fine Millinery

### Wonderful Values

Tuesday, and continuing throughout the week, all our hats reduced to

Almost Half of Their Selling Price

DRESS HATS, that are new and up-to-date.

TAILORED HATS, that are chic and stylish.

MISSIE'S HATS for dress and street wear. PURITAN HATS, made of Lyons' best quality all-silk black velvet, bound with gros-grain ribbon, with a large steel buckle

\$8.50 Values, Anniversary Price \$3.75

This hat sells in exclusive eastern shops for \$10.00; we guarantee satisfactory results in the wear of this hat. Millinery Section—Second Floor.



SPORT HATS, inspired by Gage, clever models airily fashioned into the latest shapes— \$3.95 values - \$1.95 \$6.75 values - \$3.95



## BRITISH TROOPS ON FIRING LINE IN THE BALKANS

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the Danube valley. The much discussed Russian expedition which is reported to be on the way to the Bulgarian coast, now estimated at 20,000 men, has not been heard from again. There are recurrent reports, however, of further bombardment of Bulgarian ports. This may mean that in a manner paralleling conditions of a land attack, further artillery preparation is necessary before the Russians attempt to gain a foothold on the coast.

At the Dardanelles the British are showing renewed activity. They are hampering the Turks with artillery, supported by such ships of the allied fleet as are not engaged against Bulgaria.

Germans Take Hill in Champagne. The recapture of Tahure Hill by the German sums up for the present the known result of the sudden spurt of the heavy fighting in the Champagne. While the contenders on the western front have not renewed the general offensive, it is likely that there will be frequent clashes over considerable stretches of the front, while the Balkan situation is so acute as each side desires to prevent the other from transferring troops to the near east.

Bulgarians Advance in Serbia. SOFIA, Nov. 1.—(Via Berlin and London.)—The Bulgarian advance in Serbia is being continued along the whole front. An account of recent operations was issued today at the war office as follows:

"Concerning operations on October 26, Bulgarian troops continued the pursuit of the enemy on the whole front. They advanced west of the Korjassev water-shed, between Timok and Morava.

"Southwest of Kujassev we captured, after a violent battle, the Topkata ridge,

## TO ALL PICTURE FANS

If you'll pardon me, I am going to address you in the first person, because I want to put this matter up squarely to you and ask your co-operation.

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## THEDA BARA

in "CARMEN"

Now then, ever since I have been in Omaha I have wanted to give you people a real film treat—a combination of high class photo-dramatics, accorded the proper musical accompaniment, and surrounded by the proper atmosphere.

You've been "mighty" good to us since we opened the STRAND, and we have been successful. The folks who wouldn't pull them up the hill, or "wouldn't" last two months, are now seeking another alibi, and instead of having to give ten thousand references when we wanted to purchase ten cents' worth of equipment, only the other day one of the leading banks of the city came over and personally solicited our account, and our only trouble is to keep from buying too much.

Anyway, we know you'll like "CARMEN." Now then don't come down expecting to see this production follow the old stereotyped story of the opera, because you will be disappointed. Neither will our orchestra play anything but selections from Carmen—you'll hear some from Il Trovatore and even "ragas." But you will see this—a picture chuck full of

Love, Romance, Suspense, Beauty, Thrills, Temptation, Resistance, Excitement, Struggle, Action, Humor, Adventure, Punch, Success, Interest and Triumph

and you'll hear an orchestra playing with, and not against, the picture.

We don't expect to make any money out of these three days' engagement—how can we with an augmented orchestra, singers, special scenery, to say nothing of the high cost of this picture, and the entire presentation we are giving it, but that is not the point—you have stayed with us when we had "rotten" pictures and when we have had good ones, and we think it no more than right that once and awhile we give you something out of the ordinary, and we know you will say this after you see MISS BARA in her own, original conception of Carmen, the saucy Gypsy flirt.

We await your decision on this picture, but Come Down, Come Down—we don't mind not making any money these three days, if we show "Omaha's" how pictures should be presented, but if you stay away—we are sure going to have some "headache."



## Anniversary Sale of Misses' Suits Values to '35, Tuesday, \$17.75

Sizes 14, 16, 18

Plain tailored, Norfolk, and fur-trimmed styles in broadcloth and gabardine; colors green, brown, navy, gray and black. Regular Thompson & Belden tailoring and quality—

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Because of the values, we must make a nominal charge for any alteration service.

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## Taffeta Silk Petticoats,

\$2.25

## Children's Wash Suits and Rompers

SPECIAL Mothers will appreciate the savings offered Tuesday in these Wash Suits and Rompers, sizes 2-6 years. 50c Qualities, 39c Third Floor.

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In navy, gray and brown, flat and military collars, regular prices up to \$2.50. Tuesday, \$1.19 Men's Section—Main Floor.

\$1.50 to \$2.25

All wool dress goods, 56 inches wide—98¢ a yard

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The Only High Class Vaudeville Circuit.  
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